

Docket No. IL-10541Customer No. 24981

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

## NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):  
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For (title): **METHOD FOR OPTICAL PUMPING OF THIN LASER MEDIA AT  
HIGH AVERAGE POWER**

## 1. Type of Application

- ☒ This new application is for an original patent.
- ☐ This new application is a:
- ☐ Division
  - ☐ Continuation
  - ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

## 2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 USC 120)

- ☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s).

3. ☒ Benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of United States provisional application(s) listed below: 60/190,131 March 16, 2000  
Application Serial No. Filing Date

## 4. Papers enclosed which are required for filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b).

12 Pages of specification  
7 Pages of claims  
1 Pages of abstract  
3 Sheets of drawings  
☒ formal

## 5. Additional papers enclosed

- ☐ Preliminary Amendment  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement  
☐ Form PTO-1449

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6. Declaration or oath

- ☐ Enclosed and executed by
- ☐ inventors
  - ☐ legal representative of inventor(s) 37 CFR 1.42 or 1.43
- ☒ Not Enclosed

7. Assignment

- ☐ An assignment of the invention to The Regents of the University of California.
- ☐ is attached
  - ☒ will follow

8. Certified Copy

Certified copy(ies) of application(s)

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from which priority is claimed

- ☐ is(are) attached.
- ☐ will follow

9. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Type of Claim	Number Filed	Included in Basic Fee	Number Extra	Rate	Total Fee
Total Claims	32	-20 =	12	x \$18 =	\$ 216.00
Independent Claims	3	-3 =		x \$80 =	\$ 00.00
				Multiple Claims	= \$
				Basic Filing Fee	= \$ 710.00
				Sub-Total	= \$ 926.00
				Small Entity Filing Fee=	\$ 463.00

10. **Small Entity Statement(s)**

- ☒ This is a filing by small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of regular filing fee) \$ 463.00

11. **Fee Payment**

- ☐ Not Enclosed  
☒ Enclosed (See Account No. Below)

**Total Basic Filing Fees To Be Paid** \$ 463.00

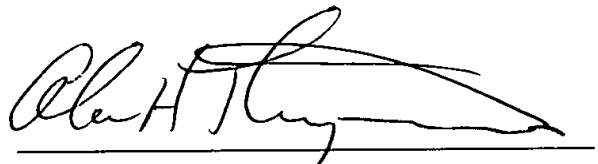
12. **Method of Payment of Fees**

- ☐ Check in the Amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Charge Account No. 12-0695 in the amount of \$ 463.00

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13. **Instructions As To Overpayment/Underpayment**

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☐ refund



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I hereby certify that the following *attached*

1. New Application Transmittal (in duplicate)
2. Application  
(Specification 12 pages, Claims 7 pages, Abstract 1 page)  
Three (3) sheets of formal drawings;
3. Express Mail Certificate
4. Return postcard

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